



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of  
Tsuyoshi NAKAMURA, et al.

Docket No: Q79512

Appln. No.: 10/761,330

Group Art Unit: 2859

Confirmation No.: 2694

Examiner: Yaritza Guadalupe-McCall

Filed: January 22, 2004

For: POSITIONING APPARATUS

EXCESS CLAIM FEE PAYMENT LETTER

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

An Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.114(c) is attached hereto for concurrent filing in the above-identified application. The resulting excess claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

	After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For					
All Claims	21	-	20	=	1	X	\$50.00	= \$50.00
Independent	7	-	3	=	4	X	\$200.00	= \$800.00
					TOTAL			= \$850.00

A check for the statutory fee of \$850.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 5, 2006—the period for response having been extended to August 7, 2006 (August 5, 2006 being a Saturday) by an appropriate petition and check filed herewith—please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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